

IN00-CHINA

of French sovereignty and influence
the Far by of cultural penetration—
an ideal
that to the of commercial profits in South
China,
of the Legations in China, hitherto
parsimoniously
as as schools and **Missions**, were to
achieve
tins at The general budget, as well as
Annamite
has under this irrelevant burden.
Doctors
are to **Yunnan's** epidemics, and rice to solace
its famine—
HMo-CMna itself is miserably in need of such
cultivated with **Yunnanese** mandarins:
was to be maintained; the dismemberment **tempta-**
tion had The cultural side of the expansionist
programme
but had deflated.
The French sympathized with China's
1912 revolu-
tion. In its consequence was to bring
to the fore the
of **the** Chinese. Hitherto a weak central
government
m to **support** their demands;
now it was
the would and could better
their status
m The of the Young Chinese over the
Yunnan
and extra-territorial privileges in China
might itself
a lever to the treatment of their
compatriots in
The formalities—medical
examinations and
— as **insulting**; the high taxes
on Chinese
and, **above all**, they wanted Chinese
nationals. In addition, they
on Chinese goods entering
These **pre-War** grievances
found a
in and its support of Anna-
The fact had twice refused to extradite
he in colony, was only a slight
m **Cantonese** offered
shelter

to even put up a monument
to the a at Merlin **while** he
was
to **be** **that** city's Incidents on the
in 1936 **with** the murder
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